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AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE

Dear Examiner Lugo:

This correspondence is filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 in response to the Notice of Allowance mailed November 22, 2004, and before payment of the issue fee. Applicant respectfully requests entry of the Amendments below and consideration of the Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.